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Dear Sir:

The reference(s) identified in the attached PTO Form 1449 (copies of non-U.S. references are attached) may be material to examination of the above-identified patent application. Applicants identify the reference(s) in compliance with their duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56 and 1.97. The Examiner is requested to make the identified reference(s) of official record in this application.

This Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, that additional information material to the examination of this application does not exist, or that the identified reference(s) indeed constitute prior art.

Applicants' attorney discussed the Information Disclosure Statement filed December 8, 2008, with the Examiner in a telephone call on January 5, 2009. In that call, the Examiner clarified that he had considered all of the references listed in the PTO Form 1449 attached to the December 8th Information Disclosure Statement, except for the single lined-through reference, submitted herewith. This is consistent with the statement on the initialed Form 1449 attached to the Notice of Allowance mailed December 18, 2008, "All References Considered Except Where Lined Through. /JC/"

This Information Disclosure Statement is: (i) filed within three (3) months of the filing date of the above-referenced application, (ii) believed to be filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, or (iii) believed to be filed before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114. Accordingly, it is believed that no fees are due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. However, if it is determined that any fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account 504480 (Order No. ODVFP009B).

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